Hewson, Cyril G

May 1915

Lansdowne Park, Ottawa, May 17/15

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President Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir:—

I am at present stationed in Ottawa with the 7th Brigade, 25th Battery, Canadian Field Artillery. I am a School of Science man and enlisted at Toronto on March 15th last.

I now desire to take a course at one of the aviation schools in Toronto, preparatory to joining the Royal Naval Air Service. In order to do this a certificate of good character is necessary, preferably one from the principal of the last

educational institution attended. My conduct, while at the university, being clear of any misdemeanors that I am conscious of, I would be sincerely grateful to you if you could see your way clear to giving me such a certificate. For the past two years I resided at the South Residence and for my conduct outside the university I would refer you to Professor Kylie.

Realizing that your duties are unusually heavy at this time of year, as early a reply, as is consistent, would be appreciated

Sincerely yours
Cyril Hewson.

Gunner C. G. Hewson,
% Y. M. C. A.,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Y. M. C. A.,

Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Hewson:

I am sending you the accompanying certificate which I hope will meet your necessities. I trust that you are enjoying your training in Ottawa, as I understand the others are doing. We hear sometimes from Kingston, and apparently they are in good spirits.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Mr. Cyril C. Hewson, now a gunner in the 7th Brigade, 25th Battery, Canadian Field Artillery, is an undergraduate of the Faculty of Applied Science in the University of Toronto. He has just been granted standing in his second year, so that he will have two years more to complete his degree.

Mr. Hewson has an excellent character in the University, and I feel sure that as far as conduct is concerned he will fill all the requirements necessary for entering upon the course of aviation preparatory to joining the Royal Naval Air Service.

President.